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Title

CUTTING DEVICE AND METHOD FOR TRIMMING

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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## Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

German Patent DE 197 20 042 C2 (Thomas Warnatsch et al.), dated August 5, 1999, pertains to a process and device for trimming cutting material made of paper material or stackable, paper material like goods;

German Patent DE 195 16 047 C2 (Thorsten Müller et al.), dated April 30, 1997, pertains to a three knife trimmer;

German Patent DE 39 20 557 C2 (Jürgen Hartlage et al.), dated February 16, 1995, pertains to a process for dynamic power transfer matching of a cutting machine, as well as the cutting machine itself;

German Patent DE 33 14 279 C2 (Peter Geiser), dated September 19, 1985, pertains to a cutting machine for cutting pamphlets.

If no translation of pertinent portions of any foreign language patents or publications mentioned above is included with the aforementioned copies of those applications, patents and/or publications, it is because no existing translation is readily available to the applicant.

Respectfully submitted,

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